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THREESCORE YEARS AND TEN.

Captain Crump Dies in Charles City County at This Ripe Age. Captain James Crump, formerly of Charles City county, but who has in

recent years lived in this city, died on Monday at Charles City Courthouse, at the residence of his daughter, Mrs. John E. Nance, wife of Sheriff Nance, of the Captain Crump had reached the advanced age of fourscore years. For a

year his health had been gradually fail-He went back to the county, and ived amid what remained of the scenes might be benefited. But it was not disoff, it was the wearing out slowly but certainly of the forces of nature.

Deceased was a carpenter and builder, and a master of his trade. In his native

aty and elsewhere massive and handhe survived by several years. Miss Mary Graves, sister of Mr. B. Graves, of Charles City. Three children, all daughters, survive

him, They are Miss Jennie Crump, and Mrs. Henry J. Ridenour, of Richmond, and Mrs. Nance, of Charles City. There are also a number of grandchildren, who were devoted to him.

The funeral took place yesterday afternoon at Charles City Courthouse, and the interment was made in the family bury-

IMMUNE CO. ALMOST COMPLETE.

Capt. Mackey Needs Only 18 More Men-Few Recruits for 2d and 4th. Captain Mackey, who has been here for several days enlisting negroes for his company of immunes, has met with great success. He only lacks eighteen of having his full quota of eighty-one men, and yesterday he had an examining officer at work passing upon his men. All but four of the recruits passed, and as soon as the remaining eighteen are secured the com-

sta, Ga., where it will join the regi-At the St. Claire Hotel the work of enlistment goes slowly on. Three men were enlisted yesterday for the Second Regiment and two for the Fourth. One man was rejected upon physical examination. It is probable that a consignment of volunteers will be sent to Jacksonville to-

pany will be mustered in and moved to

Mr. A. P. Moore, who for years has been a cierk in the State Treasurer's office, left for Jacksonville last night. He will be the cierk to Captain J. E. B. Stuart, of the ssary Department.

er, of Company M, Third Captain Masurier, of Company M. Third Regiment (formerly Company F, of the First), has been awarded first and third honors for being the best soldier in his regiment. There were three grades of In deciding the contest all the that go to make up a good soldeportment, knowledge o were taken into considera tion. The Captain's friends are rejoiced to learn of the honors that have come to him over so many worthy competitors.

TO ELECT CITY OFFICERS.

Joint Session of the Council To-

Morrow Evening. There will be a joint session of the two branches of the City Council tomorrow night to elect those city officers nominated by the caucus held at the end of last month. The particular interest of the meeting will centre in the announcement of the various committees, which will be made by Presidents Turpin and

Carkle at the end of the session.

Bids were received at the office of the
lity Engineer yesterday for the contracts to supply the departments with ice and fuel. There were twelve bids in all, but they will not be opened until the first meeting of the Grounds and lidings Committee, at which time the contracts will be awarded.

League Officers Elected.

The officers of the Epworth League of Park-Place Methodist church have been elected for the ensuing six months. They are: President, G. Howard Redd; First Vice-President, W. Reginald Walker; Second Vice-President, Miss Lavie Weti; Third Vice-President, Miss Nellie D. ce; Secretary, Miss Maggie E. Cur-Treasurer, Miss Ada P. Gold; Organ-Miss Nannie T. Pegram; Chorister, W. Montgomery.

at Norfolk, Mr. Frank L. Wells, league, was appointed chairman West Richmond District of and Mr. W. Reginald Walker clected State secretary of the League Conference. Members of this league also hold two offices in the City Unionand third vice-presidents-Mr. F. L. Wells and Miss Nannie T. Pegram filling acceptably those positions.

The Virginia Hospital,

The Board of Managers of the Virginia Hospital, consisting of well-known ladies of the city, held their regular meeting at the hospital yesterday morning at 11

The reports of the work done since the previous meeting were read, and were very satisfactory. After receiving these reports and transacting routine business, the managers adjourned to meet in October, deciding not to hold stated meet-

Old Point and Ocean View.

Everything is now in readiness for the excursion to Old Point and Ocean View, to be given by the ladles of the Old Do minion Hospital on Friday, and it looks as if a large number of persons will take advantage of the occasion. The train aves the Chesapeake and Ohio depot, beventeenth and Broad streets, at 8:30 A. returning, leaves Old Point at 8:30

Fetersburg Veteran at the Reunion General Stith Bolling was in the city The Petersburg veterans, he tays, are making arrangements to attend the United Confederate Veterans' Reunion Atlanta on the 20th in a body.

Routine Business Only.

The lady managers of the Homoeopathic Free Dispensary held a meeting at the institution yesterday afternoon at 5:30 o'clock. Only routine business was trans-

Electoral Board Meets To-Day. The Electoral Board will meet to-day o appoint judges and registrars. All the

will probably not be a very long one. Mr. B. H. Marsh, of Winston, N. C., representative of the Standard Oil Com-pany, will be in the city for several days, & guest of Mrs. I. G. West, Grove road.

THE EXPRESS PEOPLE MUST PAY THE STAMP CHARGE.

THIS IS COLONEL BRADY'S RULING.

He Thinks the Law is Plain on This Point-A Decision to Be Rendered as to Who Pays for Stamps on Telegraph Messages.

Though the affairs of the Internal-Revenue Department in this city move along just as if nothing had happened, vexed questions concerning the new law continue to arise, and points are constantly being decided that have a wide public interest. Such a case came up yesterday upon complaints from various sources that express companies were refusing to ship freight unless the consignor affixed and paid for the stamps required by the law to be attached to bills of lading. This complaint appears to have been a very general one, having been registered in different parts of the country.

COMPANIES MUST STAMP THEM. Colonel Brady gave the following opinion on this point:

"It is the duty of the express company to issue to the shipper or consignor or his agent, or person from whom any are accepted for transportation a bill of lading, manifest, or other evidence of receipt, with an internal-revenue stamp of the value of 1 cent, duly come structures stand now, and will stand for many years, a monument to his skill to issue such bill of lading, manifest, or other memorandum as provided by the a man and a Confederate soldier. His act shall subject the express company to the penalty imposed by law for each

The law is so plain, says Colonel Brady, that it is difficult to imagine how it could possibly have been misconstrued. It reads

as follows:
"It shall be the duty of every rallroad or steamboat company, carrier, express company, or corporation, or person whose occupation is to act as such, to issue to the shipper or consignor, or his agent, or person from whom any goods are ac-cepted for transportation, a bill of lading, manifest, or other evidence of receipt, and orwarding for each shipment received for carriage and transportation, whether in bulk or in boxes, bales, packages, bundles, or not so included or included; and there shall be duly attached and cancelled, as is in this act provided, to each of said bills of lading, manifests, or other memorandum, and to each duplicate thereof. a stamp of the value of one cent: Provided. That but one bill of lading shall be required on bundles or packages of newspapers when inclosed in one general bundle at the time of shipment. Any failure to issue such bill of lading, manifest, or other memorandum, as herein provided, shall subject such railroad or steamboat company, carrier, express company, or corporation, or person, to a penalty of \$50 for each offence, and no such bill of lading, manifest, or other memorandum shall be used in evidence unless it shall be duly stamped as aforesaid.

AS TO TELEGRAPH STAMPS.

A question has been raised, that will be decided to-day, as to whether the sender of a telegraphic message is liable for the one-cent tax, or whether it should be paid by the company. It is contended that the tax was intended to fall on the corporations; and, further, that a mes-sage is not a telegram until it has been sent; and, therefore, the company ought to affix the stamp on the message when it is delivered.

The wording of the law is obscure on this point, reading simply: "Dispatch, telegraphic-Any dispatch or message, one cent."

AS TO TELEPHONE MESSAGES. It is argued that the law ruling tele graphic messages is the same as tha ruling telephonic messages, which is quite explicit, reading as follows:

"Telephone messages: It shall be the duty of every person, firm, or corporation owning or operating any telephone line or lines to make within the first fifteen days of each month a sworn statement to the Collector of Internal Revenue in each of their respective districts, stating the number of messages or conversations transmitted over their respective lines during the preceding month, for which a charge of 15 cents or more was im-posed, and for each of such messages or conversations the said person, firm, or corporation shall pay a tax of 1 cent: Provided, That only one payment of said shall be required, notwithstanding the lines of one or more persons, firms or corporations shall be used for the transmission of each of said messages or

conversations." The collections at the revenue office yes terday amounted to \$8,503.88, of which sum only \$1,987.41 was for tobacco and cigar

CASHIER AND EXTRA CARRIER.

Postmaster Authorized to Appoint These-No Allowance for Janitor.

By a recent edict of the Post-Office Department in Washington, the force of the Richmond office is to be increased by the addition of a cashier and one carrier. Postmaster Knight, who leaves for Washington to-day to arrange his roster and appropriation for the coming year, will make a strong effort to secure the appointment of an additional clerk.

The appointment of a cashier to this office argues that it comes within the magic circle of the few that are rated in the five first classes. The position will not be held under civil-service rules, but the appointee will be required to give a large bend to the government, as he is to han-dle the whole income of the office. The salary attached to the position is the same as that of the assistant postmaster-namely, \$1.800 a year.

The route of the new carrier is to lie in the direction of the new theological seminary. It will take in a section of the suburbs which has not, hitherto, enjoyed the conveniences of the free-delivery sys-

OFFICE WITHOUT A JANITOR. Some friction between the Treasury and Post-Office departments, in regard to the liability for the janitor's salary, led to the issuance of an order on July 1st, dis-charging the incumbent from the service. The Post-Office Department claims that when a post-office is situated in a Federal building, as is the case in Rich-mond, the custodian of the building is responsible for its cleanliness, and must supply the necessary workmen. The Treasury Department does not see the matter in this light, and there it rests, though while the two departments are bickering Postmaster Knight is paying the janitor out of his own pocket, for, he says, it would not be feasible to let the rubbish accumulate even for twenty-four hours.

The order does not affect this city alone but includes no less than 150 offices. Co lector Bethel, who is custodian of the Federal building here, says his force of janitors is altogether too small, as it is,

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West Winsted, Conn., writes: "DEAR MRS. PINKHAM:-It is with pleasure that I write to you of the benefit I have derived from using your wonderful Vegetable Compound. I was very ill, suffered with female weakness and displacement of the womb.

"I could not sleep at night, had to walk the floor, I suffered so with pain in my side and small of my back. Was troubled with bloating, and at times would faint away; had a terrible pain in my heart, a bad taste in my mouth all the time and would vomit; but now, thanks to Mrs. Pinkham and her Vegetable Compound, I feel well and sleep well, can do my work without feeling tired; do not bloat or have any trouble whatever.

"I sincerely thank you for the good advice you gave me and for what your medicine has done for me."

"Cannot Praise It Enough."

Miss GERTIE DUNKIN.

Franklin, Neb., writes: "I suffered for some time with painful and irregular menstruation, falling of the womb and pain in the back. I tried physicians, but found no relief.

"I was at last persuaded to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and cannot praise it enough for what it has done for me. I feel like a new person, and would not part with your medicine. I have recommended it to several of my friends."

and he has no one whom he could detail for work in the post-office AUSTIN A GOOD MAN.

Henry Austin, the colored janitor of the post-office at the present time, has been post-office at the present time, has been employed there for very many years. He is a well-known character about the building, and much liked by frequent visitors and employees for his unfailing politeness and attention. He is a particularly useful member of the force, and is absolutely reliable. He knows the loca-tion of every mail-box in the city, and he is the person sent to repair them when they get out of order. He is particularly careful in sweeping up the immense amount of waste paper that accumulates in the office in the course of a day, not to overlook any letters that may accidental-

ly have been dropped.

Mr. Knight expects to return from Washington at the end of the week, and will then leave for Albemaric county to his family and spend the summer

JURY RETURNS MANY INDICTMENTS

Others Will Be Considered Next

Monday-A Company Chartered. The grand jury met in the Hustings Court yesterday morning, and returned a large batch of true bills. The panel afterwards adjourned until next Monday. when indictments against all those who have not paid their license-taxes will be presented and considered:

Following is a list of the true bills already returned:

B. Alexander, mallelous assault upor Mike Mahoney, on Jone 12th.

John H. Allen (colored), grand farceny took money from the person of Frank House.

Lucy Ellen Cosby (colored), malicious assault upon Virginia Lucas on July 2d. Abram Coleman (colored), malicious as-sault upon Henry Dodson on June 4th. James Graves (colored), grand larceny; robbery from the person of Frank House, Sidney Jones (colored), malicious assaul upon Charles Jones on June 23d,

Sallie Johnson (colored), grand larceny of money from Patrick McDonough on

Major Johnson (colored), assault upo the person of Pattle Deane on June 25th.
William Maxfield (colored), grand lar-

ceny of money from Frank House. Willie Moseley (colored), malicious shooting Andrew Winston on April 13th. Robert Smith alias Channing Smith, ma icious assault upon Richard Parker on June 11th.

George Shields (colored), . mpted to murder Lula Tyler on March 18th.

Bettle Williams (colored), house-break-ing; entered premises of W. F. Scherer on June 12th. James Wingfield (colored), malicious as-

sault upon Maria Branch on February MACHINE COMPANY CHARTERED The Universal Stripping Machine Com-pany was chartered yesterday in the Law

and Equity Court, and empowered to buy and sell patent rights, manufacture and sell machinery of all kinds, particularly that designed for the handling of tobacco. The capital stock is to be not less than \$300,000 ner more than \$500,000, divided into shares of \$100 each. The amount of readstate is not to be more than five acres in the city of Richmond, and not more than

the city of Renmind, and not more than 509 acres elsewhere.

The chief office is to be in Richmond.
Officers for the first year are as follows:
C. E. Buek, president; Napoleon Lodor, secretary and treasurer, and the directors include the above and J. C. Knox, C. W. Bourna, David A. Ainshe all of Rich. Bourne, David A. Ainslie, all of Rich-

WORK OF COLONIAL DAMES.

Their Liberal Contributions to Hospital Work and Soldiers' Families. Mrs. Herbert A. Claiborne, president of the Virginia Society of Colonial Dames of America, furnishes the following very gratifying statement of what has been accomplished by the Relief Association of the National Society of the Colonial Dames of America: April, 23d, for hospital ship So-

May 16th, for soldiers' families 50 00
May 16th, for Dixie Hospital,
Hampton, Va. 50 00
May 26th, for soldiers' families 25 00
May 28th, for hospital ship Relief 500 00
June 3d for soldiers' families 500 00 June 3d, for soldiers' families ... June 7th, for Key West Hospital. 1,000 00 June 8th, for hospital. Fort Meyer. 50 00 June 15th, for soldiers' families. June 15th, for soldiers at Camp Al-

June 15th, for soldiers' families.... June 16th, for hospital ship Solace. June 18th, for hospital at Chicka-60 00 mauga... June 20th, for hospital ship Bay

...\$4,216 05 contributed, signed Mrs. Howard Town-send, of New York, national president; Elizabeth Byrd Nicholas, Washington, D. C., national treasurer.

Virginia Horses Win at York.

In the Fourth-of-July races at York, Pa. Princess Eulalie, owned by Phil. Y. Kelly, of this city, won the 2:20 race in three straight heats.

The 2:29 trot was also won in three straight heats by Charles McCloud's Lynchburg mare, Lucena.

Laurel-Street's Pienie.

The Laurel-Street Methodist Episcopal Sunday school will give its annual picnic at Buckroe Beach Thesday, July 12, 1888. The train leaves the Chesapeake and Ohio Depot at 8:15 A. M.; returning, leaves Buckroe Beach at 7 P. M.

MANY SHOTS WERE EXCHANGED.

Feeling Growing Out of a Land Transaction-The People Excited-Threats of Lynching.

BLACKSBURG, VA., July 5 .- (Special.) Not since the killing of John Luster by Joe Keister here, four years ago, have the people of Blacksburg been so excited as they were by the news which reached here late yesterday evening of the killing of Paris McCroskey that day by -Lawson, at New Port, Giles county, Your correspondent has gathered the following facts regarding the affair:

Lawson, in order to save a piece of land from his creditors, deeded it some time ago to his eldest daughter. This daughter subsequently married Paris McCroskey. After the marriage Lawson went to see them, and said it was but just that half of the land should be deeded to his second daughter, so as to secure her a home. This the couple agreed to do. The deed was written by a local magistrate, but when it became necessary to sign it some days later before a notary public, both McCroskey and his wife refused to do so. A VIOLENT QUARREL.

This precipitated a violent quarrel between Lawson and McCroskey, in which bitter words were said and bitter feelings engendered. The men did not meet again until yesterday. Lawson came into Dunkell's store, at New Port, with his Win-chester and said McCroskey was a d-d scoundrel, and he intended shooting him scoundret, and he intended shooting him on sight. He left, and not very long af-ter McCroskey came in. He was told of the threat, but did not make a reply amounting to anything, and in a few min-utes he mounted his horse and rode off. About five minutes later Lawson fired on him. To this McCroskey replied from his horse by emptying the five chambers of his pistol. Lawson had also continued to shoot, but no damage was done. Mc-Croskey reached for and drew a second pistol, but it failed to fire. Upon seein this he leaped from his horse and started

SHOT HIM DEAD.

Lawson followed, and after pursuing him for a few hundred yards, shot him dead, the ball striking him in the neck. McCroskey had many friends in New Port, and though Lawson had given himself up to the authorities immediately, the people were creatly excited and the people were greatly excited, and swore he should be killed. Whether this threat will be carried into execution remains to be seen. It is to be sincerely hoped that it will not be. McCroskey has a brother living here.

FINCASTLE.

Interest in the War-The Crops-The Coming Industry.

FINCASTLE, VA., July 5 .- (Special.) But for the burning of a little powder and the closing of the post-office and bank, yesterday would hardly have been recognized as the anniversary of American independence. The intense interest In the war, and the news coming daily from our struggling army now investing Santiago, rises above everything else, and the great question agitating the minds of all is in regard to the progress of our arms and the final result of the confict.

In the midst of the harrowing thoughts of war and its dreadful consequences, w are contending now with a drought which threatens to damage all vegetation which has not matured. Fortunately, the when crop, which is considered the best and most abundant raised in the county for years, has already been secured, and the machines are at work threshing it out The cat crop is also a fair one, and wil

be ready to harvest in a few days.

Corn is looking well at the present time, but needs rain, which must come in a short time to insure a good yield. Garden vegetables, however, are suffer ing, and many of them are already d

It was thought at one time that w would have a large crop of apples in the county, but it seems now that the dist age by cold weather is much greate than was first supposed, and the fruit

rapidly failing from the trees.

Contrary to all expectations, the yield of peaches promises to be fair. In some orchards, while a few trees have failed altogether, there are others which will give a good half crop, and a few which seem not to have been affected by frost. The probability is that we will have comparatively as many peaches as apples. A number of new canneries are goin up, and the acreage in tomatoes this year is much larger than common. This in terest has been of great value to the county, and the fact that it is growing

shows that it is profitable to those who conduct the industry. CHARLOTTESVILLE.

The Memory of Col. Duke-Approaching Congressional Convention.

CHARLOTTESVILLE, VA., July 5.-(Special.)-At a meeting of the Charlottesville Bar, held to take action in regard to the death of Colonel R. T. W. Duke, Judge John M. White, of the County Court, presided, while the clerks of the courts served as secretaries. John B Moon, George W. Morris, Mason Gordon Daniel Harmon, and Micajah Woods were appointed to report resolutions. When the resolutions were presented they were adopted, and brief addresses were made Messrs, Moon, Gordon, Woods, and rris. George Perkins was designated Morris. to report the resolutions to the Corpora tion Court, and L. T. Hanckel to report them to the Circuit Court. The Count Court, which had suspended its session for this meeting, resumed and ordered the proceedings of the meeting entered upon

The Democratic Congressional Convention for the Seventh District convenes at the Jefferson Auditorium in this city at noon to-morrow to nominate a candidate for Congress. There is no opposition to Mr. Hay, and he will be renominated by acclamation. The convention will be composed of 373 delegates, representing the counties of Albemarle, Greene, Madison, Rappahannock, Rockingham, Shen-andoah, Clarke, Warren, Page, and Frede-rick. There is likelihood of but one con-100 00 test, which will come up from the county of Shenandoah, and it grows out of some cal matter.

Charles Broun, of Clarke, is mentioned in connection with the temporary chair-

Dropped Dead.

NEW UPTON, VA., July 4,-(Special.)-John Green (colored), who lived with Mr. O. J. Harcum, dropped dead yesterday evening, after having worked all



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To-day we will place of sale the entire stock of very fine maker of La Waists, including Whit Lawns, Piques, Organ dies, Dimities, Percales Ginghams, and other Wash Wists--over 8,000 in all--every one beauti-fully made and bought at

a price that will enable us to sell them for less than half the reg

OUR SPECIAL MATTING PURCHASE.

287 rolls of 90 pounds to the roll China Mattings, stout and strong, 11c. a

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148 rolls of 100 pounds to the roll, strong Warp Matting, as good, if not better, than our 20c, Mattings, for 12 1-2c, a yard.

112 rolls of all the usual best kinds of 25c, Mattings, heavy China Matting, and Fine-Woven Jap Mattings, for 15c, a yard.

198 rolls of such brands as "Crown."
"Sho Shing." "Ne Ping." and other standard Mattings, usually costing 30 to 40c., for 20c. a part.

to soc., for 20c. a Pard.

79 rolls, of which each roll is a different pattern, and which we cannot cut on account of remnants, which could not be matched. These rolls are specially under prices, and will prove big bargains to those who buy them. They are worth from \$6 to \$10 a roll, our prices will be from \$3.90 to \$6.99 a roll.

Fancy Japanese Lanterns

ini to-day for 25e, yard.

Paper Decorations for Lawn Partles. Satla-Black Velvet Sash Ribbons,

usually \$1.90 yard, to-day \$1 yard.

Our entire assortment of Dainty Light Striped Pure Wash Silk Habu-

120 pairs of Celebrated J. B. C. 2-Thread Double - Knees Stainless Black Eibbed Hose for children,

3c. for Ladies' and Chil-

dren's 5c. Swiss Ribbed

Vests, crocheted neck and

SECY LAWLESS OFFERED COM-

MAND OF COMMONWEALTH GUARD.

FIRST REGIMENT UNIFORM QUESTION

No Solution Yet Reached-The Rich-

mand Rifles Weet, But Do Not Elect

Officers-Other Companies Recruit-

signified his intention to resign his com-

mand, and Hon. Joseph T. Lawless, Sec-

retary of the Commonwealth, has been

Captain Crawford, who is one of the

best informed and most capable officers

dissatisfied with the status of affairs. He

of the regiment, has become not a little

was willing to lead his company where-

ever it might be ordered, under certain

restrictions, but his command was not

only left out in the cold, but drained of

some of its best men. The delay in re-

organizing the regiment, too, has been a

source of some dissatisfaction, and Cap-

tain Crawford's proposed retirement is one

WOULD WELCOME LAWLESS.

The regiment, or what is left of it,

is particularly anxious that Secretary

Lawless shall take command of Com-

pany D, which is known as the Guard

of the Commonwealth, when Captain Crawford retires. Recruits have not been

coming in very rapidly of late, but it is

said that the company will reach the standard very soon. There is some ex-cellent material on hand, and though the

average height falls an inch or two below the coveted standard of 6 feet, it is hoped

Companies E and G are recruiting rapid-

ly, and both are near the maximum. The

auxiliary companies formed by Colonel Spotswood and Captain Tennant are ready to be mustered into the State ser-

vice as soon as the Governor shall de-

RICHMOND RIFLES NOT ORGANIZED.

The Richmond Rifles, recruited by Mr.

George Carter, meet at the Armory last night to elect officers. Mr. Carter an-nounced that he had been reliably in-

formed that no election would be considered regular that took place before forty-one men were enlisted, that number being the minimum required by law. The company has only thirty members at

present, and under these circumstances, there was nothing left to do but adjourn the meeting subject to Mr. Carter's call.

THE NEW-UNIFORM QUESTION.

the Secretary will not hold aloof

asked to accept the commission.

to-day 17c. pair, usually 25c.

arm-holes.

ing Stendilly.

of the results.

on this account.

Pure Linen Waist, in fine quality, with 22 tucks across the front, laundered collars and cuffs, for \$35 Fine Sheer Lawn Waist, with 24 tucks, made bias, cuffs and collars both laundered, for \$10 Nice Quality India Linon Waists, with groups of small tacks, with inserting let in, this is one of our special bargains, and would be cheap at \$2, our price \$1.50 Oxfords, with good weight soles, something for service, patent-leather tips and facings, coin toe, all Ladies' \$1.50 Oxfords, with good weight soles, something for service, patent-leather tips and facings, coin toe, all Our 19c. Fast Black Thread Gloves

for Ladies', to-day 6c. pair. Added to yesterday's selling of thin WHITE DRESS GOODS is 2,398 yards of London Welts, to be sold for 97-Sc. These goods cannot be had elsewhere for less than 15c. a

yard.

500 yards of 7c. India Linen, to be sold to-day for 2 1-2c. yard.

50 pieces 40-inch Lawn, 4 3-4c.

55 pieces Persian Mulls, 12 1-2c.

400 yards Fancy P. K., the Isc. kind, for 12 1-2c. yard.

10 pieces P. K., real value 50c., for 35c. yard.

Fine Dotted Swisses, 19c. grade for

12 1-2c. yard. Lace-Striped Organdies, were 15c., for 10c. yard.

10 pieces English Long Cloth, sell elsewhere \$1.25, here for \$1, pieces of 12

yards. 2-yard-wide Fine White Organdles, the 30c kind, for 15c. yard. White Cambric, good quality, yard wide, to-day for 47-Sc. yard. BASEMENT HOUSEWARE.

TOILET SETS. 3 lots of fine ones for this week's selling-\$1.49, \$3.49, \$5.49. See window full.

Queen Laundry Soap, 6 large cakes 10c. Lantz Acme Soap, 2 cakes for 7c. Lantz Acme, 3-pound bars, 15c. Balance of our Screen Doors and Win-dow Screens, only very few left, half

price.

160 Colored and White Best Hemp Hammocks, full size, usually \$1, at 69c.

Fine Cotton, Close-Woven Hammocks, with pillow, usually \$1.49, at 95c.

2 specials in Fancy Hammocks at \$1.99 and \$2.75.

Special prices on small lot of Water Coolers.

Agate Chambers at 25c. SPECIAL. -50 dozen Water Kettles, agate, specially adapted for oil- and gas-stoves, sold for 29c., closing price 15c.

Water Palls, large, marked 39c., at 24c. All sizes of Roasting Pans, worth from 40 to 60c., to close 25c.

Agate Water Carriers and Slop Jars, worth 75c., at 29c.

125 dozen Ten- and Coffee-Pots, 2- and 3-quart sizes, regular prices 25 and 35c., our clearing price 15c. Yard-Wide Merrimac Percales, full pleces, Merrimac Percales that have sold for 121-2c., in this lot 5c.
Yard-Wide Organdies, 41 patterns, the prettiest of 17c. figures, white grounds, selvage only slightly unravelled, the sale price, 5 7-8c.
Light Shirting Prints, 510 new pleces, no remnants, perfect, selling price per yard, 2 3-4c.

About 100 dozen Agate Saucepans, 2-, 3-and 4-quart sizes, covered, different shapes, what we sold at 20, 25 and 35c. all put together on one table, to be sold at 15c. each.

Nutmeg Graters, Mustard Spoons, Teaspoons, Stove Lifters, Sink Brooms, Carpet Tacks, Tea Strainers, Ironing Wax, Kitchen Knives, Hygiene Soap Powder (as good as Pearline). At 2c.-Large Coffee Strainers, Iron Stands, Tablespoons, Match Boxes, Egg Beat-ers, Cooking Forks, Clothes Racks, large roll Toilet Paper, Machine Oliers, Key Rings.

The Sever Store The New Store

son says he does not think he ough BOUNTY FOR WARSHIPS SUNK. CRAWFORD TO RESIGN to saddle the three companies of the regiment with the debt, and it is hardly At Least \$170,000 for the Men of likely that the men who are now in active service will agree to foot the bill,

less just at present. PROBABLE INVESTIGATION Into a Suspicious Death-Painful

so the situation looks particularly hope

Accident-A Fire. LYNCHBURG, VA., July 5 .- (Special.)-After several weeks of consideration and discussion as to who should pay the expenses, Coroner Walker will on Friday afternoon appear before the City Council and ask for a contingent appropriation Captain Charles A. Crawford, of Com-pany D. First Virginia Regiment, has signified his intention to resign his comvote to support him, an investigation will

at once be undertaken. Captain Charles L. Adams, ex-Consul to Cadiz, Spain, met with a painful ac-cident in Bedford county yesterday afternoon. In attempting to check a fright-ened team of horses he fell from his buggy and sustained a fracture of the The broken bone protruded through leg. The broken bone protruded through the skin two inches.

A dwelling-house belonging to Mr.

James Guthrie was destroyed by fire in Brook Neal, Campbell county, this morning. The fire is the first one that has occurred in the town of Brook Neal since its incorporation, ninety-nine years ago.
The Lynchburg Board of Trade i taking active steps to test the right of the Adams Express Company to make shippers pay the revenue. packages.

LOUDOUN COUNTY.

Fine Cattle Killed by Lightning-Pastor Returns.

LEESBURG, July 5 .- (Special.)-We had yesterday a glorious rain. This was attended with severe thunder and vivid lightning.

Mr. George Ryon, while walking near town, was prostrated by lightning, but not seriously injured.

At the "Eutopia" farm of Messrs. Henry and E. B. Harrison, about seven miles below Leesburg, on Goose creek, eight head of fine cattle, averaging about 1,100 pounds each, were killed. They were standing under a sycamore-tree when the lightning struck them. They were owned jointly by the Messrs. Harrison and Mr. Samuel Ball, a tenant. The Presbyterian church here, after be-

ing without a pastor for two months, is again open, the former pastor, Rev. Dr. L. W. Lupton, having returned. Found Dead. GLOUCESTER COURTHOUSE, VA., July 5.—(Special.)—The body of Alice Rob-

There was joy in the Armory last night, for Lieutenant-Colonel Anderson had received a telegram from Captain R. L. Masurier, of the old Company F, that his men had won the first and third prizes in competitive drill for the best men in the periment DR. FELIX LE BRUN'S Steel & Pennyroyal Treatment is the original and only FRENCH.
eafe and reliable cure on the market. Price, \$1.00; sent by mail.
Genuine sold only by
POLK MILLER DRUG COMPANY,
Ninth and Main, Richmond, Va.
mh 9-W&Su-nr THE NEW-UNIFORM QUESTION.

The situation in regard to the new uniforms remains unchanged. Lieutenant-Colonel Anderson has addressed a circular letter to all the captains interested, but had received no reply last night. The contracting tailor, it appears, has said that if the \$5,000 which is now in bank is paid over, the regiment will still not be entitled to the uniforms until the balance of the bill is paid. Colonel Ander-

there is no suspicion of foul play.

For colds, croup, and whooping cough there is nothing better than Chamber-lain's Cough Remedy, je &-W,Sa&Su

cost. Steel Chopping Knives, Candletticks, Machine Sercewdrivers, Can Openers, Revolving-Haudie Rolling-Pins, Potate Mashers, Cooking Spoons, Cake Turners, Mouse Traps, 30 yards of Clothes-line, Ice Picks, Wooden Sait Boxes, Ball Blueing (the best made), Children's Decorated Drinking Muss, Hand Silexo for the toilet.

At 40.-Ruby Pomade, Shoe-Blacking, Armour's White Floating Soap.

At Sc.-Fruit Knives with Dresden-china handles, Large-Size Colanders, Soup on Vegetable Strainers, Helf-Covered Dust Pans, Tea and Coffee Canisters, Bread and Cake Pans, Large Settle Ammonia, Carpenters' Nalls (large package), Bath Bricks for cleaning knives, Enamel Stove Polish (2 fee 5c.), Wash Busins (large size), Blocked Tin Saucepans (covered 2-quart).

dood Steel Hatchets, Ready-Made House Paints, 14-Quart-Size Dish-Pan, 2-Pound Tea and Coffee Can-

Julep Straws (large package for family use), Water Filters, Wire Sponge Baskets, Large-Size Frying Pans, Package 19c. Roach 5.0d, Liquid, Disinfectant Powder, Large-

Sized Dinner Palls, Galvanized-from Oil-Cans (1-gallon size), Rice or Milk Bollers (2-quart size), Sugar and Fiour Bowls, Stew Pans (1 to 3-quart size), Preserving Kettles (hold 2 to quarts). TRUNKS AND BAGS.

We carry the largest and best assort-ment of Trunks and Bags in the city-and our prices are lower than any other house in the city. Good Canvas-Covered Trunks, inside tray, well-made, heavy clamps and hinges, good lock, iron bottom, at \$1.75.

Extra-Fine Travelling Trunks, full-size box, heavy fron clamps and extra-large hinges, brass excelsior lork, from bottom, leather bound and leather strapped, \$3.95. Telescopes, all sizes, from 10s. up. Dressed Alligator Bags, 33c. ap. Imitation Alligator Bags, leather, one.

Grain Leather Bags, best made, from 89c. up. We carry pretty near every style of Bags and Satchels made, up to the finest grades, and our prices are the lowest.

Single Gas-Stoves, 15c. Large 2-Holo Gas-Stoves, good burner, The Very Best Gas-Stoves, well made two holes, extra-large burners,

GAS- AND OIL-STOVES.

\$1.49. CHAMPION REFRIGERATORS.

Champion Refrigerators, testimonials from many Richmond women prove their sterling worth as ice savers and good food keepers. Here are some styles at a reduction: Holds 40 pounds ice, \$5.95, usually \$8.50, Porcelain-Lined Water Tanks, \$8.50, usually \$10.

Ice-Chests, \$2.75.

Gem and Blizzard Ice-Cream Freezers, all sizes, now in stol

Large Size Double oil-Stoves, 4 wicks, \$1.75.

Sampson's Fleet. (New York Sun.) Not glory alone accrues to the men of Admiral Sampson's command for the destruction of Cervera's fleet, but a considerable amount of hard cash. For every man on the Spanish warships at the time of the attack our sallors received

\$100 bounty, in accordance with section 4635 of the Revised Statutes of the United States, which says: States, which says:
"A bounty shall be paid by the United
States for each person on board any shipor vessel of war belonging to an en at the commencement of an engage which is sunk or otherwise destroyed in such engagement by any ship or vessel belonging to the United States, or which it may be necessary to destroy in co-quence of injuries sustained in action quence of injuries sustained in action, of \$100 if the enemy's vessel was of inferior force, and of \$200 if of equal or superior force; to be divided among the officers and crew in the same manner as prize-

money."

If there were 1,700 men on Cervera's

ships (which represented a force inferior to the Americans), the bounty will be somewhat more than \$170,000, which is divided in the same manner as prize money; 1-20 to the commanding officer of the fleet, 1-50 to the commanding office of a division of the fleet, 1-100 to the fleet of a division of the fleet, 1-100 to the fleet captain, and 1-10 of each vessel's shard to the captain of that vessel, the remainder being apportioned to all, other officers end men in proportion to their pay. As the law provides that all vessels within signal distance of the action and in condition to render aid share in the prize money, it is likely that most of the fleet will profit by the Spanish defeat. In the case of the torpedo-boat-destroyers Furor and Pluton, which were knocked to pleces by the converted yacht Corsair, Furor and Pluton, which were knocked to pieces by the converted yacht Corsair, the superior force was obviously on the Spanish side; therefore the bounty will be 1200 per capita for those on board the destroyers. Probably the complement of the two ships was 135 men, making that bounty \$27,000.

If it appears that any others of the Spanish vessels were attacked and destroyed by any of our vessels inferior in fighting power, the award in such case

nighting power, the award in such will be \$200 for each man aboard ships also, and it may be that the bounty will be largely in excess of \$170,

GLOUCESTER DEMOCRATS

Elect Delegates and Hear Railroad Subscription Speeches. GLOUCESTER, COURTHOUSE, July

5 .- (Special.)-During the recess of the court yesterday the Democrats held mass-meeting to consider the reorga zation of the party and elect delegat to the congressional convention to be held at Urbana. Rev. W. E. Wyatt was elected chairman of the meeting, and J. D. Stubbs secretary. The old County Committee was re-elected as a whole, The delegates to Urbana are J. D. Stubbs, Otis Bland. L. D. Bayse, Maryus Jones, J. Hairston Sewell, Rex Hinkle, Waltor King, B. A. Rowe, C. H. Muse.

After adjournment of the meeting there were speeches made out of doors on the railroad question. Mr. L. C. Catlett, Judge F. L. Taylor, Mr. J. Boyd Sears, Ma. Robert McCandlish, and Rev. J. W. Hooth spoke in earnest advocacy of voting for subscription. to the congressional convention to be inson was found in the woods near here this morning. An inquest was held, and

Miss Annie Gibson will return this a from Williamsburg, where she went to tend the final of William and Mary lege. Miss Florence Sweeney will com-pany her.